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Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed February 27, 2009, applicant hereby provisionally elects claims 1-3, 6-11, and 18-22 for continued examination, with traverse.

Applicants submit that no undue burden is placed on the office in searching the groups beyond that incurred by searching one or the other separately.

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